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May 10, 2006

Jeff S. Jordan, Esq.
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: <u>MUR 5732</u>

Dear Mr. Jordan:

I am writing on behalf of my clients, the Democratic Party of Hawaii, the Maine Democratic State Committee, and their respective treasurers Jane Sugimura and Betty Johnson, who received copies of the complaint designated MUR 5732 from you.

We request an additional thirty (30) days beyond the statutory 15-day reply time to respond to the complaint. We make this request because the complaint involves complex legal and factual issues, and includes many potential respondents from at least four states. In addition, I will be out of the country for two of the requested weeks.

Thank you for your time and attention to this request.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen E. Hershkowitz Attorney for Respondents

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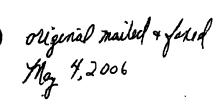
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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission. 5/3/0/ May 2, 2006 Date RESPONDENT/WITNESS NAME (PRINT): DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII	
MAILING ADDRESS: 1314 S. King Street, Suite G-4	
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